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SCREENING NOVEL METABOLIC

**PATHWAYS** 

### PETITION TO AMEND INVENTORSHIP FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, DC 20231

Sir:



The fee set forth in 37 C.F.R § 1.17(i) for processing the attached Petition to Amend Inventorship pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.48(c) is estimated to be \$130.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is attached for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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### STATEMENT BY KATIE A. THOMPSON PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R § 1.48(c)(1)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This Statement is being filed in support of the Petition To Amendment Inventorship Pursuant To 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(c) ("Petition") to add Katie A. Thompson, as a co-inventor.

The above-captioned application is a divisional of the application no. 08/738,944 (now U.S. Patent No. 5,783,431) which is a continuation-in-part application of application no. 08/639,255 (U.S. Patent No. 5,824,485). I am a named co-inventor of U.S. Patent No. 5,824,485 (application no. 08/639,255) to which the above-captioned application claims priority.

The amendment of inventorship in the above-captioned application is necessitated by an amendment of the claims which added claims to subject matter disclosed but previously unclaimed in the above-captioned application. I am a co-inventor of the currently claimed subject matter in the above-captioned application. The error in inventorship of the above-captioned application occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by me and my co-inventors Todd C. Peterson, Lyndon M. Foster and Paul Brian is submitted herewith to properly include me as an inventor in the above-captioned application.

Correction of Inventorship in the above-captioned application is respectfully requested.

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CONSENT BY ASSIGNEE TO CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(c)

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Sir:

TerraGen Discovery Inc., having an office for transaction of business at 9880 Campus Point Dr., San Diego, California 92121, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest in to and under the invention and U.S. patent application Serial No. 08/986,186, filed December 5, 1997, entitled "METHODS FOR GENERATING AND SCREENING NOVEL METABOLIC PATHWAYS", hereby consents to amendment of Application Serial No. 08/986,186 to name the following actual inventors: Todd C. Peterson, Lyndon M. Foster, Paul Brian, and Katie A. Thompson.

The present application is a Divisional of parent application 08/783,944. An Assignment of the parent application to ChromaXome Corporation executed by Todd C. Peterson, Lyndon M. Foster, and Paul Brian has been recorded on February 12, 1997 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on Reel 8363 at Frame 0764. Application no. 08/783,944 is a Continuation-In-Part of application no. 08/639,255. Assignment of this application to ChromaXome Corporation executed by Katie A. Thompson, Lyndon M. Foster, and Todd C. Peterson has been recorded on June 4, 1996 in the United States Patent

and Trademark Office on Reel 8108 at Frame 0778. Paul Brian and Nicole M. Nasby were later added as inventors and also assigned their right, title, and interest to ChromaXome Corporation. ChromaXome Corporation has assigned the aforementioned applications (08/783,944, 08/783,944, and 08/986,186) to TerraGen Discovery Inc. of 9880 Campus Point Dr., San Diego, California 92121. An executed Assignment of the rights in the application from ChromaXome Corporation to TerraGen Discovery Inc. has been submitted for recordation on August 30, 1999.

The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and hereby certifies that, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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# PETITION TO AMEND INVENTORSHIP PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.48(c)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicants petition to amend inventorship pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.48(c) by adding Katie A. Thompson as a co-inventor of the above-identified application.

Applicants submit that this amendment of inventorship is necessitated by amendment of the pending claims in the above-identified application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.48(c), we are filing concurrently herein:

- (1) Statement By Katie A. Thompson Pursuant To 37 C.F.R. §1.48(c)(1);
- (2) Declaration and Power of Attorney (in four original counterparts) executed by the actual inventors, Todd C. Peterson, Lyndon M. Foster, Paul Brian, and Katie A. Thompson, as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.63 and 37 C.F.R. §1.48(c)(2);
- (3) Fee Transmittal Sheet containing authorization to charge the appropriate fee to the deposit account of Attorneys for Applicants, as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(c)(3); and

(4) Written Consent of Terragen Discovery, Inc. as assignee of the application, as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(c)(4).

Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended to reflect the correction in Inventorship.

Respectfully submitted,

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